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**GAS COMPANY MAY
BUILD OWN HOME****Office and Shops to Consoli-
date in Single Lo-
cation.****SEVERAL SITES ARE INSPECTED****If Satisfactory Location Cannot Be
Secured the Company Will Probably
Rent Quarters—Additional Men to
Be Employed in Connellsville Soon.**

Contemplating the erection of a new building, two experts from the central office of the Gas Company have been in town yesterday looking over several sites that have been suggested. They were H. C. Reser, assistant to the President, and his brother, J. W. Reser, Superintendent of the United Fuel Company, one of the subsidiary concerns. They were accompanied here from Columbus by Superintendent Angle.

It has not been decided whether the company will erect a new building or rent quarters. Several vacant store rooms are also under consideration. The shops will be located at the same place as the office. The office room will be enlarged and work now done there will be brought to Connellsville. This will necessitate the employment of more outside men and an additional office force.

The new quarters will be centrally located. The present offices are in the Second National Bank building. Superintendent Angle is in favor of having a location near the new postoffice. At present the gas company's shops are scattered about town. While the floor room in the shops is sufficient for the work, it is thought that a better standard can be maintained with the office and outside force working together.

A meeting of employees was held last night at the office in the Second National Bank building. Notwithstanding that many of the men had been constantly on duty throughout the night on account of the flood, the full quota of employees was present. The meeting was addressed by both H. C. Reser and J. W. Reser. Superintendent Angle gave a short talk. The speakers referred yesterday morning from Columbus where they attended a meeting of all the superintendents.

With the consolidation of the two departments the importance of Connellsville as a central office for the coke region gas supply will be increased.

**SHARVATION IS STALKING
THROUGHOUT ALL ENGLAND****Even War Chills the Striking
Miners in Rapidly Seizing
Exhaustion.**

United Press Telegram.
LONDON, England, March 23.—Two and one-half million workers, men, women and children were jobless today. Dependently upon them were enough others to bring the grand total of misery slowly approaching starvation because of the paralysis due to the strike of the miners and the exhaustion of the reserve supply of fuel.

So serious is the situation that the heads of the various municipalities have reported to the government that if the strike is not speedily settled they will not be responsible for keeping order. Food riots have already taken place in several sections, notably in Scotland and Wales. At the Home Office today it was admitted that 50,000 soup kitchens are in operation in North Wales, all conducted by the municipalities.

The strike funds have been exhausted in paying benefits. The worst sufferers are the miners whose great wealth, which they hoarded before the strike, now is being rapidly dissipated. Only in Derbyshire and Durham have the miners any money left, and even there the amount is small.

**VELOCITY OF THE YOUGH
WAS CORRECTLY ESTIMATED****But Cushman Flick Cannot Measure
the Stream Until Apparatus is
Replaced.**

A hydrographer from Connellsville arrived here this morning from making tests of the velocity and the discharge of the Cheat river. He will forward his reports to the Pittsburgh Flood Commission, the United States Geological Survey and the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania. According to the computations, the estimates made Thursday are correct. The highest given were a velocity of 18 to 20 feet a second. At one time Thursday, the measurements could not be taken because the stream was too turbulent.

D. H. Flick, West Penn cusher who takes the daily readings at the bridge yesterday forwarded a letter to the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania. Information that the destruction of the meter box at the bridge, it was destroyed some time Thursday night. No measurements can be taken until the box is replaced.

Rev. F. W. Beckman of the Episcopal church, Uniontown, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Louise A. Veech, which took place this afternoon from the family residence on South First street, West Side. Interment private in the old Banning Cemetery in the West Side.

**WILL OF I. W. RUTTER
ADMITTED TO PROBATE****His Niece, Miss Mary Bower, Is the
Principal Beneficiary Under
Its Terms.**

UNIONTOWN, March 23.—In the will of Isaac W. Rutter, treasurer of Connellsville borough for a number of years who died March 13, Miss Mary Bower, his niece, was made the chief beneficiary in his estate which is valued at \$27,000, \$12,000 personal and \$15,000 real estate. The old homestead, consisting of a two story brick dwelling and two lots in 415 Johnston avenue and all furniture is willed to Mary Bower so long as she remains single.

In case she should marry or die the property shall be divided equally among the living nearest legal heirs except the descendants of the deceased's brother, George H. Rutter, who "shall not be mentioned in the will." In case Miss Bower should die single the proceeds of the property shall be used to give her a decent burial, provide a lot in a cemetery and purchase an up to date marker to her memory. Mary Bower is to use, control and have the income from the National Bank of Connellsville stock also the use and control of the Connellsville steam laundry stock.

Edgar Wayne Powell, a nephew, is bequeathed a frame dwelling at 110-112 Johnston avenue to possess forever. Mary Bower was directed to be his trustee and guardian until he becomes 21 years of age when he shall have full control of the property to dispose of as he chooses.

If the amount of the estate after Mr. Rutter's debts, funeral expenses, etc., be paid reaches such an amount that relatives can be given a cash bequest the following divisions is ordered: Joseph W. Rutter, a nephew, \$1,000; Henrietta Josephine Muth, a niece, \$500, and her husband, Henry Muth, \$500. If the estate does not reach that amount the stock in the Connellsville National bank, providing it is not reduced below 10 cents, can be disposed of for that distribution.

In the will Mr. Rutter expressed a wish that Mary Bower have the full benefit of all the National bank stock. All of the estate other than the divisions specified shall go to Mary Bower who shall be the executrix. She shall not be compelled to give bond nor will she receive any commission on the estate. She shall have the privilege of engaging her own attorney and shall pay him what she thinks his services are worth.

The will is dated December 30, 1907. It was witnessed by Arthur Armstrong and Flavius Goodwin. The will was probated Friday afternoon.

**NEWS FAKE ABOUT TOWN
MAKES SPEAKER NERVOUS****Edward F. Trefz Wires to Inquire If
Connellsville Is Still on
the Map.**

Edward F. Trefz, of Chicago, is scheduled to speak here Monday. He is to tell Connellsville business men how to put Connellsville on the map and keep it there. The sensational news of impending "disaster" to Connellsville from the Indian Creek river dam reached Chicago and caused Mr. Trefz to wonder whether his speech might not be taken literally.

This morning President F. E. Markell of the Chamber of Commerce received a wire from Mr. Trefz, asking: "Understand flood threaten Connellsville. Will meeting be held Monday?"

Needless to state, Mr. Trefz was told that Connellsville is still on the map and that he is still needed to make it stand out more prominently. Mr. Trefz immediately wired in return that he would be here Monday without fail. The wire reported the Indian Creek dam being threatened and asked whether the Chamber of Commerce would have a meeting Monday night to discuss the situation.

Mr. Trefz characterized the story as "libel on the town." The dam stands firm and there is such a remote possibility of its giving way that no unnecessary alarm is warranted.

**BURGESS SIGNS CONTRACT
FOR AUTO FIRE TRUCK****President Millard Suggests Selling
Preserved to S.**

The automobile fire truck for Connellsville became a reality last night when President of Connell James B. Millard, Burgess J. L. Evans and Borough Clerk A. O. Bixler for the borough and William Work for the Connellsville Garage affixed their signatures to a contract. Delivery of the machine will be made in about two months.

What to do with the fire wagon has been a puzzle to Council. President Millard this morning suggested the idea of selling it to South Connellsville. The new borough is without fire protection now and although buying a truck now would make a large hole in its finances, it is believed that the move would be wise.

MILLER PROSECUTED.**Humane Officer Accuses Him of Mal-
treating a Horse.**

Charged with having starved his horse until it was in a state of exhaustion, George Miller of Dunbar was given a hearing yesterday before Squire Deane. The charges were preferred by Humane Agent Charles Wilson. Owing to the absence of several witnesses the case was postponed until Monday. The witnesses to be called are Joseph Hilt and Aaron Hughes. Miller claims that the horse was sick and would not eat. Wilson says it even attempted to eat straw when it was offered it.

**EAGERLY AWAITING
SPEECH OF TREFZ****Chamber of Commerce Ex-
pects Much from Widely
Known Speaker.****ACCEPTANCES BEING RECEIVED****For Citizens' Greater Connellsville
Dinner at the Y. M. C. A. on Mon-
day Night—Some Comments Made
By Acceptants—The Menu is Out**

Positive assurance from Edward F. Trefz, of Chicago, that he will come to Connellsville to address the Citizens' Greater Connellsville meeting under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night, was received by President F. E. Markell, of the Chamber this morning.

President Markell, and the Board of Directors of the Chamber expressed much pleasure that they should be fortunate enough to have such an orator with them on the occasion of the beginning of the movement for Greater Connellsville. They believe that with Trefz's inspiring and instructive speech the movement will be greatly accelerated.

Trefz recently made a tour of the United States, speaking at all the principal cities and many smaller towns on the subject of municipal development. His audiences everywhere were immense, because his reputation has extended wherever city building is studied or mentioned. In securing Trefz, the Chamber is furnishing to Connellsville an opportunity to learn from an expert what other cities are doing to capitalize their advantages. His subject for Monday night will be "How to Put Our Town on the Map and Keep It There."

"We talk of our great natural advantages in Connellsville a great deal at home, but I favor the re-established Chamber of Commerce movement because it is going to tell the people outside who never heard it before about our opportunities," said a prominent attorney this morning. "There can be no doubt but that the Chamber of Commerce can interest many people to come with us to the outside world. If we tell them what we can offer. To do this the Chamber must have the greater support of all the citizens, which it deserves."

In making this statement, the attorney referred to the cheap coal, cheap coke, electric light and power at rates lower than most other cities, the fine railroad transportation facilities, practically inexhaustible supplies of glass sands, lime stone and natural gas, pure water for all purposes, free manufacturing sites for prospective industries, and great labor market of Connellsville, none of which have been advertised as they should have been, and which will add to the prosperity of the city if used to the advantage through an efficient Chamber of Commerce.

An idea of the power of the oratory of Mr. Trefz can be gained from the offer of a speech made by him in Wheeling, West Virginia. The Board of Trade of Wheeling had been going along at a steady, but slow gait, with its operating funds just enough to pay current expenses when the citizens invited him to address them. Within five days after his address, stirred by his wonderful oratory, the membership of the Board was increased to 650 members. Each was signed for a period of three years, putting the Board on a permanent basis to conduct its affairs on a sound business-like manner. The operating fund was multiplied more than three times because the dues were increased from \$10.00 to \$25.00 a year.

One of the acceptances being received for the meeting, the prominent business men are writing enthusiastic comments regarding the movement.

On the right track, count on me to help. "All together for Greater Connellsville." "We should have done this long ago." "Great movement, I'm in for it." are some of the remarks being sent in. One enthusiast wrote over the face of his card, "I am in."

The menu for the dinner which will precede the meeting was prepared at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce late Friday. It is as follows:
Cream of Tomato Soup
Oysters
Sweet Pickles
Radishes
Stewed Chicken
Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Cold Slaw
Lima Beans
Coleslaw
White Bread
Brown Bread
Ice Cream
Cake
Coffee

The dinner will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. Music will be furnished by Kiefer's orchestra.

RIEGEL COMES.**Is Another Engineer for Cheat River
Forces.**

Another engineer was added to the force at the Mountain Park Land Company here, yesterday. The new engineer is E. M. Riegel. He will be engaged in the work in the local field.

Mr. Riegel is a resident of Harrisburg although his last work was in New York City. He was formerly connected with the company about three months ago. He was with it for about eight months. The new engineer is a graduate of Cornell of the class of 1904.

Condition Improves.
The condition of Mrs. Gertrude Comstock, who is ill of pneumonia at the South Side Private hospital, is improved.



Edward F. Trefz.

**SENTENCE COURT
AT UNIONTOWN****Judges Pass Sentence Upon
Many Offenders Who
Were Convicted.****TWO SENT TO PENITENTIARY****John Miller Given Six Months for
Conducting Disorderly House at
Point Marion—Jackson Goes Up
Two Years for Housebreaking.**

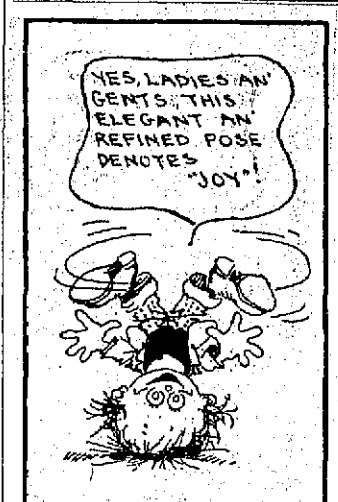
Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, March 23.—Sentence court was held today and a number of offenders placed in confinement for various terms. Two years to the penitentiary was the maximum sentence imposed at today's session. Boyd B. Jackson, convicted on several counts of housebreaking, was one of those who received this term while John Miller was the other. He conducted a disorderly house at Point Marion.

Three were sent to Huntington reformatory. They were Clyde Young of Connellsville, who slashed William Slio the Saturday before Christmas; Pete White, convicted of assault and battery; and Tony Rizzio, who pleaded guilty to larceny.

James Barnett was given four months in jail for stealing an overcoat. He drew the usual sentence of \$75 or nine months to the workhouse for carrying concealed weapons. Mike Puchalski was sent to jail one year for assault and battery. Frederick Saul was sent to the workhouse a year for the larceny of money in Connellsville. Thomas Hays occupied with the costs for larceny.

Leroy Works and Ben Corstian, convicted on paternity charges, were directed to pay \$15 each, contribute \$1.50 weekly for five years and give \$500 bond in their own recognizance. John Bush was sent to jail a year for larceny. John Ofussey was given four months in jail for larceny.



Snow tonight and warmer; Sunday snow or rain is the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.
Maximum 40 1911
Minimum 27 35
Average 34
1912 readings at 8 A. M. and 5 P. M.

**SOUTH SIDE PUPILS
DRAW RECORD CROWD****Attendance Largest that
Ever Attended a School
Entertainment Here.****MANY NATIONS REPRESENTED****"Commemorative Humoresque" is High-
light of the Evening. Given Clever Method
of Raising Funds for a New Piano,
More Than a Thousand There.**

The South Side school will have a new piano and a fine one at that. It is estimated that fully one thousand persons attended the Commemorative Humoresque last evening at the school, given for the purpose of purchasing the instrument. Several benefit entertainments have been held by pupils of the public schools but none could be compared with the Commemorative Humoresque. To carry out the spirit much labor and perseverance on the part of both teachers and pupils. Results justified the labor.

The crowd began to assemble as early as 7:30 o'clock and until after 10 o'clock the various rooms were crowded with friends and patrons of the school.

There was plenty of music and humorous attractions. In addition to the different countries represented there were a number of side attractions from which a great sum was realized. "Coney Island," on the third floor, attracted a large crowd. An admission fee of five cents was charged and the attraction was worth the price. A real live goose was on the second floor and persons throwing a ring around its neck were awarded candy. Three chances were given for a dime. The entire booth was well patronized. Many interesting readings of the "Philippines" were on exhibition.

Room No. 1-B, taught by Miss Jessie Harris, was transformed into a beautiful fairyland. Children in fairy costumes served corn flakes and wafers. The decorations were of many colors, the scene was gay and attractive. Hundreds of paper butterflies dangling in threads from the ceiling and festooning of red, white and blue paper added to the effectiveness of the designs. There was an aquarium filled with gold fish and a throne for the King and Queen. Edna Thomas was the Queen and James Graham the King.

Room No. 1-A, taught by Miss Lillian Edmonds, was a great drawing card. China was well represented and novel decorations prevailed. The colors were red, yellow, blue, white and black. The children were attired in dainty oriental costumes and assisted Miss Edmonds in serving rice and wafers. The tables decorations were unique. In the center was a miniature table and chairs, and at either end were seated Japanese dolls. The candleabra were capped with dainty colored shades. Walter Cotton represented the deposed royal emperor.

Room No. 2 portrayed life in England and the life of the natives, with English representations. Dutch kitchen was fitted up and children, attired in costumes of the Hollanders, went through the form of making bread and butter and served buttermilk to the visitors. The children were several little girls peeling apples. Miss Mary Parkhill is teacher.

Room No. 4 was transformed into a Japanese tea garden. A pretty feature was a pagoda attractively decorated with polka-dots, chrysanthemums, and Japanese lanterns. Children wearing dainty Japanese costumes served tea and wafers. Miss Winnie Harrison is teacher and assisted by her children, arranged the beautiful decorations.

In room No. 5 stood a grim old castle and typical scenes in Germany were carried out. The unique costumes of the children as well as the entertaining and humorous program afforded great amusement. Wayne Gwynn, Howard Robinson and Joseph Soloson served sauer kraut and wafers. The program rendered consisted of songs and recitations in German and was ably rendered. Decorating the walls were stencils fashioned of paper. Miss Lucerne McGary is teacher and deserves great credit for the excellent manner in which the children carried out the program.

"Iceland" was beautifully represented in room No. 6 on the second floor. Everything was in white and the scene presented was one of pure beauty. The central figure was a white dove in which ice cream was served to the visitors. Miss Belle Bowden is teacher.

The rose garden in charge of Lorenz Stubble, June Alexander and Bertha Hoffman, the lower postal card booth, presided over by Ruth Hardy, Ethel Shaw and Donella Schoenover, the candy booth in charge of Gertrude Stout, Josephine DeWitt and Eleanor Goldsmith and the coffee booth in charge of Louisa Wrote and Marguerite Guthrie, were all largely patronized.

Room No. 3, taught by Miss Beatrice Patterson had been turned into a forest, with an Indian camp in the midst. There were several wigwags and effective decorations consisting of birch pine and rhododendrons. Children attired in Indian costumes served corn bread and parched corn. Lyon Eaton was chief of the tribe.

If a prize were offered for the best representation of the different countries it would be a difficult matter to decide the winner as each room was country was so ably represented were a little room for improvement. The teachers and children who participated in the entertainment are to be congratulated on the wonderful work accomplished in the short time.

**COKE REGION RECOVERING
FROM EFFECTS OF FLOOD****River Will Soon Reach Normal Stage.
Railroad Repairing
Damage.**

Although no figures are available as to the stage of the river, owing to the destruction of the meter box on Thursday night, it is rapidly falling and within a few days will reach normal. Resident Engineer Minder of the Western Maryland returned to Connellsville last night after inspecting the line. He reports that although there were many small slides owing to the heaving of the construction, no serious damage occurred. Track gangs started work today clearing the debris. West Penn cars are still running behind schedule owing to the instability of the tracks at different places. It will be a week before the trucks are in first class condition once more.

Searchers were at work at the West Penn dam all day yesterday looking for the body of Harry Carson, the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carson of South Connellsville, who was drowned while watching the flood from the swinging bridge. No trace of the body has been found.

**WISE CANNOT CONTEST
ELECTION OF COL. CRAIG****Committee Soon to Report Disputed
Seats in Congress to the
House.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—The contested election cases from Pennsylvania and West Virginia before House Committee on Elections No. 1 will soon be reported to the House by this committee. Included are the Wise-Craig case from the Twenty-first Pennsylvania district, the McLean-Bowman case from the Eleventh Pennsylvania district and the Wiley-Hughes case from the Fifth West Virginia district.

Mr. Wise permitted the time to elapse in which he might file notice of a contest against Colonel Craig, but asked the committee that extension of time be given him in which to file his notice of contest. The committee has already tabled this request, with the result that no contest will be permitted in this district.

**SPRING INSPECTION ON
APRIL THIRD IS ORDER****Company D Gets Short Notice of the
Event—Band Will Be Inspected,
on Same Date.**

The annual spring inspection of Company D will take place April 3. Captain A. R. Kidd received orders that the inspection of the Tenth Regiment will extend from April 3 to May 23. Connellsville will be one of the first places visited by the inspecting officer.

No word has been heard from the regular army regiment which is to be here all next week. He was scheduled to arrive in Connellsville yesterday. Second Lieutenant J. Donald Ried, will return from school on Monday. He will be here for the inspection.

**FOUND BURNED TO DEATH
WHEN SHANTY IS DESTROYED****John Long's Body Charred by
Flames—Neighbors Failed to
Notice in Night.**

Special to The Courier.
M. FLEASANT, March 23.—Found burned to death at his home at the Standard works this morning, mystery surrounds the death of John Long, aged 42, an employee of the H. C. Frick Coke Company. Mrs. Peter Primstone discovered the charred body this morning. Although Mrs. Primstone lives but 25 feet from the shanty occupied by Long, she knew nothing of the fire until she arose this morning. The shanty was completely destroyed.

It is believed that Long came home last night and upset the stove. Long came from Westmoreland City four years ago. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Long.

AT THE HOSPITAL**Appendicitis Operation Performed on
Mrs. George Woodward.**

Mrs. George Woodward, of town, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday at the Cottage State hospital. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

James H. Hess of Morgantown, who was admitted for treatment of an injury to the eye, left this afternoon.

Held For Court.

With the exception of Howard Splitter, the four assailants of Drake-man J. W. Baer were yesterday held for court at a hearing at Uniontown. The four assaulted Baer when he went to throw the operation at Outcrop. Splitter gave bail for \$300.

Called Basketball Meeting.

A meeting of the Connellsville Basketball Association has been called for tomorrow afternoon. At that time Secretary J. Kirk Renner will make a detailed report and the directors will calculate how much they will have to dig up.

Will Address Institute.
Superintendent S. P. Ashe left this morning for Uniontown where he will deliver an address this afternoon before the institute of the North Union township schools.

**SOMERSET GRANTS
B. & O. FRANCHISE****Believed that Measure will
be Satisfactory to
Officials****HAS BEEN HANGING FIRE A YEAR****Ordinance Provides That Railroad
Shall Erect New Station and Depot
Within "Reasonable Time"—Wach-
men Required For the Crossings.**

Special to The Courier.
SOMERSET, Mar. 23.—The controversy between Somerset Town Council and the B. & O. railroad concerning a franchise permitting the laying of additional tracks at Pleasant street, extending over a year, was amicably adjusted at a meeting of Council Thursday night. An ordinance, which it is believed will be acceptable to the Superintendent C. L. French of the Connellsville division, and the other railroad officials, was passed by a unanimous vote, Council offering the railroad company every inducement to continue its improvements in and about Somerset, that the members think consistent with the protection of the rights of the municipality.

The principle feature of the ordinance is a clause to the effect that the B. & O. shall construct a new passenger and freight station and depot within a reasonable time. And there is every assurance that this condition will be met. A great deal more expeditiously than new depots have been supplied at other points along the B. & O. system. The railroad company is given permission to lay two additional tracks across East Main street, five across East Patriot street and one track along Pleasant street, between Main and Catherine streets.

The hitch during the past year was the construction of Pleasant street, the original plan having been to occupy the entire length of the thoroughfare. This objection has been eliminated by the railroad company agreeing to build its additional tracks on right-of-way purchased from property owners instead of using the street, with the exception of only two squares, between Main and Catherine.

That part of Pleasant street to be occupied by the second track will be protected by the laying of the track east of the borough sewer and water mains. Between Main and Patriot streets the B. & O. will provide a 30-foot driveway and will employ a watchman at the Main street crossings between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M.

The ordinance provides that none of the crossings shall be blocked for more than 10 minutes at a time, under a minimum penalty of \$5 and maximum of \$25, to be imposed by the Judges of the court of the Town of Somerset. In case of fire the municipality reserves to block the railroad tracks with fire hose as long as necessary to extinguish the blaze, and all trains are required to stop as a reasonable distance from the point where the hose may be laid across the tracks.

**MOUNTAIN TIMBER BOUGHT
BY DETWILER AND LAWS****They Will Develop Tract in Spring-
field and Sallitick Town-
ships.**

Buying the tract of timber owned by the Steet heirs, consisting of 312 acres in Springfield and Sallitick townships, Charles Detwiler and James Lewis negotiated the purchase of the timber deal on Chestnut Ridge for ten years. The consideration was \$5,000. Detwiler and Laws hold large contracts for pit posts and will begin as soon as the mill begins to rough estimate there is about a million feet of white oak and 600,000 feet of poplar and chestnut. Contracts held by Laws and Detwiler call for the cutting of about 600,000 cross ties and a couple of million pit posts. This deal takes in practically all the timber in the western ends of the two townships.

The tract, a large one, is partly in Springfield and partly in Sallitick township. It is virgin timber according to a rough estimate there is about a million feet of white oak and 600,000 feet of poplar and chestnut. Contracts held by Laws and Detwiler call for the cutting of about 600,000 cross ties and a couple of million pit posts. This deal takes in practically all the timber in the western ends of the two townships.

**POLICY COMMITTEE MEETS
MONDAY TO DECIDE LAYOFF****Will at That Time Submit Referendum
Vote to Miners on Strike
Question.**

Special to The Courier.
CLEVELAND, O., March 23.—Following the recess of the conference between the miners and the operators here until next Tuesday the executive board of miners and the policy committee decided to meet next Monday. The recommendations of the policy committee either for peace or for strike will be submitted to a referendum vote.

President White of the United Mine Workers said today that the present atmosphere is such that the bituminous coal mines will close down April 1 when the present contract with the operators expires.

Abandons Old Tower.
At 12:01 o'clock today, the old "CN" tower on the Pennsylvania railroad at Dayton was moved to the new tower, which was brought here several weeks ago. The apparatus was all moved this morning, but at noon the wires were cut in to the new tower.

The News of Nearby Towns.

Leisenring.

LEISENRING, March 23.—The Leisenring school class at home last night. This order of exercises included games of various kinds and plenty of good things to eat. There were 105 present in the three Leisenring Sunday schools last Sunday.

Rev. Ryland will preach Sunday morning. On account of the meeting of the trustees at the close of the service the congregation is urged to meet fifteen minutes earlier the coming Sabbath.

The contest between classes Two and Seven is creating a great deal of interest. Class Seven had eighteen young men present last Sunday and the coming Sabbath the teacher may have to face twenty-five or thirty.

Dr. Hazlett of Vanderbilt was here yesterday.

WEST LEISENRING. Mr. Warnock is drilling the Sunday school for an Easter exercise to be given on the evening of April 1th.

John Haines was on the streets of West Leisenring a few days ago for the first time since early in December.

Mrs. Daniel Wilson is reported able to sit up.

Nick Simons is able to be around after suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Esther McNally was at Uniontown this week attending the Davis and Mills meetings.

Mrs. Roy Ditt and children are on a visit to the home of her parents at Smithfield.

Hiram Pike is off duty due to illness.

Rev. Ryland will preach at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Robert Amos, Clark Brookiron and Earl Newcomer were visitors at Uniontown this week.

The baseball boys are getting ready for the coming games.

David Lloyd of Pittsburgh is expected home in a few days for a short visit.

Two of our girls, Ellenbeth Moore and Winkle Lloyd, left out of school with the weathering cough.

Charles Brookiron leaves today for Grindstone.

Great excitement prevailed in West Leisenring some days ago due to the bursting of the dam above the works. Two young ladies were caught in the flood and barely escaped with wet feet. The public road was made impassable.

LEISENRING No. 3. A. C. Oglevee is to have charge of the Monarch Sunday school Sunday afternoon in the absence of Mr. Herr-bower.

L. L. Davis' Sunday school class met Wednesday evening and organized.

It is expected that Monarch will have regular preaching services after April 1st. By July or August it is hoped that the chapel will be ready.

Fatelize those who advertise.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, March 22.—Mrs. Thomas St. John has returned home after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Wirtz at Scottsdale.

W. R. Kaffer was a business caller at Vanderbilt last evening.

The Star Hotel works has resumed operations again after being idle nearly all winter.

Miss Minerva Speelman has returned to her home at Scottsdale after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey of Leisenring were calling on friends here a few evenings ago.

Mrs. Catherine Miley who has had a very bad attack of appendicitis, is not improving very fast.

DICKERSON RUN, March 23.—Mrs. Felix Cable has returned to her home at Whitsett after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miley.

Lacrosse French was transacting business in Pittsburg on Friday.

Mrs. James Beatty and daughter, Miss Marie, are spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Adkins of South Sharon, Pa.

On account of the washing out of their trucks, the D. & O. ran all their trains over the P. & L. E. Thursday and Friday, transferring at West Yough and McKeenport. Quite a number of people thought that the Western Maryland had started operations.

Charles Kaffer was a Vanderbilt business caller yesterday afternoon.

The Dure Devil Yough registered the highest mark Thursday at this place since 1907. J. E. Black & Company are the only ones that have had much damage done here and if the river would have raised a foot higher they would have suffered a loss amounting to thousands of dollars.

Prof. R. K. Smith and J. M. Glass of Dawson were calling on friends here Thursday evening.

Mrs. Newton Colbert is numbered among the sick this week.

Mrs. Charles Dunlap was shopping and calling on Connellsville friends yesterday afternoon.

Mt. Pleasant.

MT. PLEASANT, March 22.—Mrs. Courie Spence entertained the Rhinoceros club at her Main street home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Anna Galley entertained the Fancy Work Club at her Church street home yesterday afternoon.

After the fancy work was put aside a very nice lunch was served.

H. Jaquette is putting new steel cable in the elevator and dumb waiters at the hospital.

Through Congressman Curtis H. Gregg a free seed distribution was made to the people of town from the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

Mr. Orbin who was operated on at the Memorial hospital for appendicitis, returned to his Scottsdale home yesterday.

A rural free delivery carrier examination will be held in this town on Saturday, April 6.

Last evening about 8 o'clock Tony Siutoro, a 14 year old lad was driving a two horse wagon down East Washington street when the broken wagon tongue skidded on the ground, and scared the horses. They began to go fast and the boy getting out of the fear of the wagon struck his chin on the wagon and cut a long gash in his chin. The horses went on down Washington street and turned down Center avenue and as they crossed the street car track the wagon hit a telegraph pole and broke the wagon. The horses tore loose and were caught by Frank Springer.

Samuel Lyons of Trent, Somerset county, who was arrested by Constable Ellis for false pretense, had the matter adjusted before L. S. Rhodes yesterday.

Horney King will entertain his Boy Scouts from 7 until 8 o'clock this evening at the State Armory with basketball.

Chief Mine Inspector of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, Austin King of Scottsdale addressed an audience of about 250 men from Moorewood, Standard, Tarrs, Central, Buckeye, Hecla, Udell and other Frick works on mine accidents and the prevention of them. This meeting was held in the State Armory last evening.

Miss Gertrude Cohen of Connellsville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leisner of Main street.

Harry C. Swift of Irwin was a caller in town yesterday.

Owensdale.

OWENSDALE, March 23.—Charles Crossman, Patrick McCannanagh, Edward McGovern and Thomas Gonnire attended the Good Roads convention at Uniontown this week.

Mrs. Alice Younklin is visiting relatives in Somerset county.

Moses Thomas was attending to matters of business at Scottsdale Tuesday.

Charles Fischer, conductor on the Meadow Mills car, has moved from Scottsdale to Connellsville.

The condition of J. Dennis Porter is not much improved at this writing. Mr. Porter for the past month has been suffering from a severe attack of paralysis.

Miss Enos of Pittsburgh is visiting friends near Owensdale.

William Rankin was attending to matters of business at Connellsville Friday.

Mrs. Elmer Dull spent Thursday visiting friends and relatives in Vanderbilt.

Mrs. Wilbur DeWalt and guest, Mrs. Roy Farmer, were shopping in Scottsdale yesterday.

Jack Ansell was in Scottsdale yesterday riding up the town.

Miss Jessie Walters of Connellsville was visiting friends at Broad Ford yesterday.

Ohioville.

OHIOVILLE, Mar. 23.—Mrs. Thomas Fry, son, 1st and daughter, Grace, of Garrett street, departed Friday for Braddock to visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Louis Shoemaker and daughter, Miss Leona, of Pittsburgh, arrived at this place on Friday evening to make a short visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall of near here.

James Struthers of Scottsdale is looking after matters of business in town yesterday.

Glenn Glickley was calling on relatives and friends in Connellsville last evening.

Henry Morrison of Sugar Loaf was calling on relatives and looking after business matters in town yesterday.

The Ohioville Company mill has been closed down here. The high waters played havoc with their railroad bridges, which will take some time to prepare. The electric power is also out of commission from the high waters.

The protracted meetings are still in progress in the M. E. church here. Converts are still coming to the front.

Dawson.

DAWSON, March 23.—Mrs. Wm. Durbin of Dickerson Run was calling at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Durbin on Friday.

Mrs. Harry Shellenberger and sister, Miss Jesse Evans, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Evans on Thursday.

Miss Marie Moore is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Grace Moore of Grismom street.

Mrs. Harry Cochran was a Connellsville caller on Thursday.

Mrs. John Rue and son, Lemoyne, of Liberty, were the guests of friends here last evening.

Some of the town folks should see the Fayette County Gas Company about turning off and turning on the gas without notifying the consumers. The matter should be taken up immediately as there have been several narrow escapes here recently.

Don't forget the home talent play, "O, You School Girls," for the benefit of the Dawson Volunteer Fire Department. Good singing and also good music by a Vanderbilt orchestra with H. C. Rush as director. Bring your friends and help the boys to make a grand success.

Miss Madeline Short has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Post of Connellsville.

Miss Marguerite Rush was a Connellsville shopper on Friday.

Mrs. Margaret Parsons who has been in Pittsburgh for the past week attending the different millinery openings, will return here this evening, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Glendonning, the head trimmer of Mrs. Parsons' millinery store, and will make ready for their millinery opening on April 3.

Miss Marie Cochran left yesterday for Pittsburgh with a short visit with friends. She attended a luncheon there yesterday by a number of National Park Seminary girls of which Miss Cochran was a student.

Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, March 22.—Louis Vickers was this afternoon called at Dickerson Run Thursday evening.

J. A. Sanders, representing the W. G. Sammons Hardware Company of Pittsburg, was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Hicks has returned to her home at Altoona after a few days' visit here with relatives and friends.

Miss Lillian Means was calling on Dickerson Run friends on Thursday evening.

Miss Maude Sutton of Brownsville is spending a few days here visiting friends and relatives.

John Thompson was calling on Dickerson Run friends on Thursday evening.

VANDERBILT, March 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Randolph and baby were calling on the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randolph at East Liberty last evening.

Daniel Sprout of Dawson, was transacting business here Friday evening.

Rev. Ralph Bell, pastor of the M. E. church, was calling on Dickerson Run friends yesterday evening.

Mrs. Robert Maus and daughter, Miss Lida, were calling on Dickerson Run friends last evening.

N. A. Rist of Dawson, was a business caller here today.

Miss Julia Wilson was calling on East Liberty friends last evening.

Mrs. Anna Bell Darwin has returned to her home at Vance's Mills after ten days' visit here with relatives and friends.

Lloyd Stauffer of Dawson, was a business caller here Friday evening.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 22.—Milkman Health is confined to his room with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Who is going to name the new Theatre at Perryopolis? "Everybody's doing it."

E. K. Chaffert was called to Jefferson by the death of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Wells. Funeral service Saturday.

E. O. Blair was a Wick Haven caller yesterday.

Mrs. Mrs. Blair, Mrs. B. F. Snyder, Mrs. A. C. Kier, Mrs. William Armstrong were visiting out of town friends on Thursday.

Dr. L. T. Russell was a professional caller at Vanderbilt yesterday.

Connellsville callers today were: Mabel Townsend, J. A. Myers and wife, Mrs. C. O. Bano and Mrs. H. H. Clocum.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 23.—Miss Carrie Thompson who teaches in the Star Junction schools, is off duty with the mumps.

Delighty Stern of Belle Vernon was a business caller in town on Friday.

M. E. Townsend of Flatwoods was a town caller yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Harrington and little son, Maynard, are visiting their mother's mother, Mrs. W. S. Gallatin at Donora.

Mrs. John Leash and son, Frank, were visiting friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. Lilla Tuce, Mrs. M. S. Blair and Mrs. Allen Galley attended the W. C. T. U. meeting in Star Junction this week.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation he may incur in connection with the sale of his medicine.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. It is a perfect cure. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Announcement.

J. R. Barie, the electrical contractor of the West Side, desires to announce that he has formed a partnership with Mr. E. T. Lyne of this city. The business will be conducted under the firm name of The Earle-Lyne



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Peoria, Ill.—"I wish to let every one know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. For two years I suffered. The doctor said I had a tumor and the only remedy was the surgeon's knife. My mother bought me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and today I am a well and healthy woman. For months I suffered from inflammation, and your Sensitive Wash relieved me. I am glad to tell anyone what your medicines have done for me. You can use my testimonial in any way you wish, and I will be glad to answer letters."—Mrs. CHRISTINA REED, 105 Mount St., Peoria, Ill.



Mrs. Lynch Also Avoided Operation.

Jessup, Pa.—"After the birth of my fourth child, I had severe organic inflammation. I would have such terrible pains that it did not seem as though I could stand it. This kept up for three long months, until two doctors decided that an operation was needed."

"Then one of my friends recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and after taking it for two months I was a well woman."—Mrs. JOSEPH A. LYNCH, Jessup, Pa.

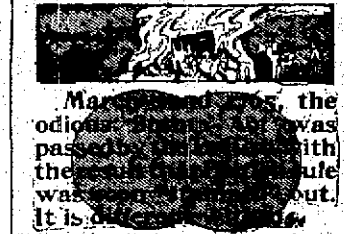
Women who suffer from female ill should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one of the most successful remedies the world has ever known, before submitting to a surgical operation.



LACE TRIMMED CHALIS.

Simply made as this little dress is, it has an air of novelty, due to the arrangement of the lace collar and cuffs, which are of hand crocheted lace.

The collar has square points in the back, following the lines of a sailor collar, and the ends of the black velvet bow are placed under the lace in front. The chalis used for the dress material is turquoise blue.



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YOUR UPSET, SOUR, GASSY STOMACH IS RELIEVED IN A FEW MINUTES

A little Diapiesin regulates bad Stomachs in five minutes.

Every family here ought to keep some Diapiesin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of indigestion or stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a distressed, out-of-order stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to all you or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Fape's Diapiesin, and take a little just as soon as you can. There

will be no sour flanges, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in stomach, Nausea, Dribbling flatulencies, Dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and besides there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Fape's Diapiesin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery at any drug store, waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure almost any chronic case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other Stomach trouble.

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SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 23, 1912.

THE PERIODICAL AWAKENING OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The officers and directors of the Connelville Chamber of Commerce are making the organization of this useful organization on lines now and original. Sensible citizens will find no fault with their methods if they accomplish the desired result, and in the meantime they will be willing to lend their aid in promoting them.

The Chamber of Commerce should not need a periodical awakening. It should never fall asleep on the job. Institutions of this character, however, are prone to somnolence, or what is worse dissensions that breed actual dissolution. If every citizen would bear in mind the fact that the work of the Chamber of Commerce is for the benefit of the city as a whole, and that he shares incidentally in such benefits, he would be better able to appreciate the fact that in supporting the Chamber of Commerce he is only supporting himself.

The officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce to a large extent necessarily work in secret. It is all the more imperative, therefore, that they at all times and upon every occasion studiously avoid even the appearance of using their public positions for the advancement of their private interests. Moreover, they should be alert, active, aggressive. The landing of one industry should not be the signal to all down and take a rest. Something else turns up, but rather the incentive to go forth again and turn something else up.

Above all the Chamber of Commerce should avoid sophomoric discussions of impracticable questions. The object of the organization is the advancement of the business interests of Connelville. It should never attempt to usurp the functions of municipal government, or the duties of accredited agencies of morality. It should be a builder, not a meddler.

Such a Chamber of Commerce deserves and should receive the loyal and liberal support of every Connelville citizen in just proportion to his means and opportunities.

The Voice of the People.
Colonel Roosevelt is making a brave showing, but the results are sadly discouraging to his Third Term ambitions. Perhaps one of the worst rebuffs his candidacy has received was the result of the Presidential primary in North Dakota. The New York Sun, commenting on the fact, says:

It is all very well to find excuses for North Dakota, but the little details to which that commonwealth has sunk cannot be condoned. Here was the very heart of the campaign, the "chance" district of the Colonel, the whorl of progress, the hope of ages. And she has kicked over the primary ball and stamped her feet for another!

We shall be glad to hear of the blizzard which chilled the shins of countless loyal souls that kept them from the polls. Also to hear of the countless Democrats who disguised themselves as Republicans to do the Colonel to death. There is much to be said in general application in both those thoughts. The number of voters who can be inspired by a blizzard, the "chance" district of the Colonel, the whorl of progress, the hope of ages. And she has kicked over the primary ball and stamped her feet for another!

But these excuses cannot help the Colonel, or North Dakota. The voice of the direct primary is the voice of GOD. It is himself has spoken. And now North Dakota has spoken. We can only turn our backs upon this degrading spectacle of spontaneous and perilous combustion among the plain people.

Colonel Roosevelt and his supporters have been vociferously demanding the direct primary as the only honest way of ascertaining the voice of the people. The people of North Dakota have spoken.

Can't Lose William.

The Honorable William Jennings Bryan has issued his ultimatum to the Nebraska Democrats. If they declare for Harmon, Bryan declares that he will refuse to serve as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention from his State, but that he will go to Baltimore as "a private citizen" to lend his aid to encompassing the defeat of Harmon, whom he charges with being an emissary of Wall Street.

The once fearless One is willing to remain so and there is a suspicion that his visit to the Baltimore Convention will not be so much to defeat Harmon as to nominate Bryan. Under the Democratic rule it requires a majority of two-thirds of the whole convention to nominate, and this rule can safely be depended upon to prevent any nomination on the first and possibly on succeeding ballots. It is especially emboldened the delegates are summoned to the Original and Only Democratic Dark Horse.

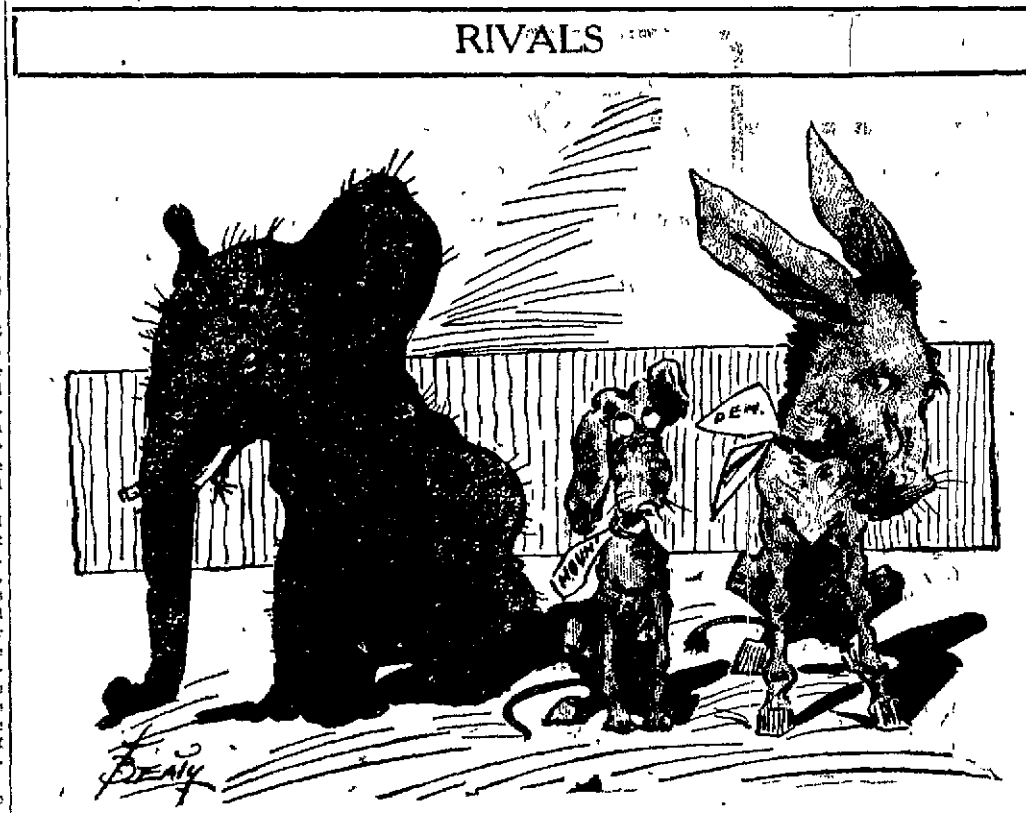
The Democratic party can't lose William.

Editor John Lester Koffer of the Uniontown Genius of Liberty and Palladium of Democracy will probably be at Baltimore to help the Fearless One slay the ambitions of Governor Harmon. The Uniontown Herald says: "The gentleman who walked into The Genius office yesterday and talked Judson Harmon to John Lester Koffer has a new and more fearful appreciation of editorial wrath by this time."

The Uniontown Herald is advised that the Indian creek dam is satisfactorily the Center of the Connelville coke region.

The English Conservatives had it in mind to oppose the mining bill, but they seem to have changed their

RIVALS



Abe Martin



minds. Good politics demanded the change. They could not afford to place themselves in the position of prolonging acute public misery.

The auto fire truck will have to be cut down to cut the corners.

Company D boys will be put through the Regular paces next week.

The Town Council insists that it cannot do street paving without money. Some of the previous administrations didn't let a little thing like that interfere with paving the streets, especially by those adjacent to their own property. Money was no object. Certificates of indebtedness were easy to make.

The new Chinese republic is reported to be already suffering from suffragism.

The lure of the food was fatal to one Connelville lad.

The Good Roads Convention at Uniontown was furnished with some horrible examples by the recent deluge.

The newspaper field of Connelville is expanding.

DE SENECHUTE

By Isaac of Yukon.

Do Senecute was the name of Cleoro's dog. This dog had not only been studied by the owner himself but it had been studied by college boys who delighted in several hours chase each night.

Cleoro had several other dogs but they did not get as old as Senecute. Of course, as old dogs are incapable of being taught new tricks, Cleoro kept this dog to hang around home and eat the odds and ends of old Roman bread.

Do Senecute was the dog which old Cleoro took with him to town and which the Roman senators kicked around even if he wore Cleoro's dog. The fact that the dog had a rocky road to travel, caused his owner to deliver a lecture or two on the crown and the nature of the end which permitted folks to kick his dog around.

Cleoro had trouble like many other public lecturers and orators. Some places he went to lecture "under the auspices" and frequently the auspices were short of money and then he had to do Senecute had to foot it back home. Sometimes he lectured for half the gate money which usually gave him money to rent a room above some Roman attic while old Senecute slept in the cellar.

Of course, Cleoro found other lecturers in the field who were rather good talkers and who had just as good dogs as Do Senecute. They got their dogs kicked around but they just laughed.

Cleoro had friends who went back on him and this drove him into solitude. He took his dog with him and talked conditions over with himself. Sometimes his friend, Atticus, called on him when they smoked a pipe together but that kind of society was not as good as that of his dog.

Cleoro had figured out four strong complaints against old dogs. First, that an old dog becomes exclusive from active life; second, that an old dog's bodily powers are enfeebled; third, that an old dog is shut out from killing sheep and fourth, that an old dog does not fear the approach of death.

But Do Senecute was a good old dog all right over if the Roman senators did kick him around, Cleoro told them they "gotta quit kickin' his dawg aroun'." and that order started a big racket in the court house. The S. C. J., of which Cleoro was a member, applied the result to him, not his dog, and one morning his hand was found spiked to the rostrum.

MRS. MILLER DEAD.

Well Known West Side Woman Had Been Ill Long Time.

Following a lingering illness of tuberculosis, Mrs. Margaret Ellen Miller, aged 70 years, wife of Champ Miller of the West Side, died this morning at 8:30 o'clock at her home on Twelfth street. Funeral Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Chestnut Hill cemetery.

Deceased was born and reared in West Virginia and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Messers. She had resided in the West Side for a number of years. Her husband and several children survive.

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WANTED-WOMEN, SELL GUARANTEE. Good prices for all goods. Call daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigated. STRONG KNIT, Box 1020, West Philadelphia, Pa. 13jan24d

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WANTED-TRUSTWORTHY MEN or women wanted as local representatives of 70 responsible manufacturers. High class merchandise and clean selling methods. \$12.00 per week guaranteed on easy conditions, with possibility of \$50.00 and advance. Experience not necessary. MANUFACTURER, Box 278, Philadelphia. Feb 21-2mar26-0-20-23

For Rent.

FOR RENT-HOME HOTEL INQUIRE 100 MAIN STREET, second floor. 20jan24

FOR RENT-ONE FOUR ROOM HOUSE. Call BELL PHONE 43-13mar24d

FOR RENT-FURNISHED ROOM INQUIRE 120 WINTER AVENUE 21mar24d

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FOR RENT-8 ROOM HOUSE AND BATH. Big yard. N. Pittsburgh street. DAVE COHEN, 118 N. Pittsburgh street 19mar24d

FOR RENT-A MODERN SIX ROOM house with all conveniences. Inquire of 805 WEST MAIN STREET, West Side. 18mar24d

FOR RENT-8 ROOM DOUBLE house complete, next to Third ward school house on Tenth street. Inquire of FRANK FORT. 10mar24d

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FOR RENT-HOUSE, SIX ROOMS, large lot. Gas. Inside water closet. South street, Connelville. Water paid. Inquire JOHN NEEB, 215 Market street. 22mar24d

FOR RENT-DOUBLE HOUSE, fourteen rooms. All modern improvements. 503 E. Francis avenue. Inquire ALLEN HERBERT, R. F. D. 33, Connelville. 22mar24d

More
Suits at
\$20

Today we received word of more of these suits to arrive Monday. A shipment that we had not expected, and word from the manufacturers that there would be some more to follow during the coming week.

Instead of marking these at regular prices we are going to continue this sale during the coming week. There will be from 40 to 50 additional suits; so that many women will have a chance to buy for \$20.00 a suit worth \$25 to \$30. If you will remember we explained to you that the reason for these being priced at \$20. The manufacturer from whom we bought our suits found that he had a number of pieces of goods with enough material in them for one, two or three suits. These materials he could not duplicate and he offered to make them up for us at a price so that we could offer them to you at \$20. We agreed to take all of them and thought we had them but received word today of these to come today and Monday or Tuesday. These materials are such as are made up in suits that would retail at \$30 and some as high as \$35. We ask you to examine the material—see how the suits are made and how they fit and decide for yourself whether these are not a big bargain at this price. Plenty of navy blue, some few blacks and plenty of brown and tan mixtures. If you have a suit want for Easter this is a chance for you to save \$5 to \$10 on your Easter suit.

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For Sale.

FOR SALE-SECOND-HAND REBUILT typewriters at bargain. Inquire at THIS COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE-PIGS, SHOATS AND brood sows. Inquire at ARLINGTON HOTEL, Connelville, Pa. 18mar24d

FOR SALE-AN EASTER SUIT, perfect fitting, stylish, and all pure wool, for \$18. DAVE COHEN, Tailor 30

FOR SALE-FARM; TIMBER; coal lands. Terms to suit. B. BIEPPY, Box 582, Connelville, Pa. 18mar24d

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FOR SALE-ONE BROOD SOW. Inquire B. B. NEWCOMER, near Morgan Station, Connelville, Pa. R. F. D. No 30. 21mar24d

FOR SALE-SIX ROOM HOUSE, modern improvements and steam heat, situated on East Main street. Inquire of G. Carr The Courier. 18mar24d

FOR SALE-WHITE LEIGHORN hatching eggs, \$3.00 per hundred, also brooder chicks. GEORGE W. NEWCOMER, R. F. D. 30, Connelville, Pa. 22mar24d

FOR SALE-SEVEN ROOMS modern and up to date dwelling on South Side. Will trade as part payment on small house. Price \$3,000. EVANS & SIBLEY. mar22-23-25-26

FOR SALE-HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE only partly used. Party leaving town. Call at second floor South Side Windsor Apartments, Green street entrance. 19mar24d

FOR SALE-RECEIVED AT THE Roughlochy Lumber Yard car load of sewer pipe from 4 inches up to 18 inches, with fittings also car of building blocks and land drain tile. 23mar24d

FOR SALE-SINGLE COMB WHITE Leghorns hatching eggs from heavy laying strains. 15 per setting of 15 eggs. Address CHERRY LANE FARM, Box 582, Connelville, Pa. 18mar24d

FOR SALE-A CAR LOAD OF GOOD draught horses. Just received. Will sell at private sale. Come and look for yourself. H. BARRICKLOWE, LIVERY STABLE, Vanderbilt, 619 Erie Gallatin 19mar24d

Lost.

LOST-RED BACK NOTE BOOK, either on Johnston avenue or in Dutch Bottom. Finder please return to Courier Office. 19mar

Money to Loan.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE. INSURE EVANS & SIBLEY. 21feb24

Personal.

MADAM MAY FAMOUS PSYCHIC Most successful in America. Special reading 50c today and tomorrow. Make your engagement early. Smith House 22mar24d

Notice of Wife Desertion.

AS MY WIFE, ANNA, HAS LEFT my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid anyone to harbor her or to trust her for any bill contracted in my name. If I will refuse to pay for same. HOMER T. MOSER. 22mar24d

Geokite.

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WANTED

Miners and Coke Drawers.

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Persons desiring employment mining coal and drawing coke will find it to their interest to apply in person to our several mine and yard foremen at said plants.

ERED C. KEIGHLEY, General Superintendent.

E. Dunn

Pittsburg St.

Newest Novelties in
Spring Neckwear

Easter Neckwear, we might say, for all the style that will be shown for early Spring are now made up. Our showing consists of a collection of the choicest numbers of several leading lines of neckwear representing a big variety of styles from the dainty conservative designs to the more extreme novelties. There is no other article of dress we can think of that adds so much to your appearance at so small an outlay, also, it is something you can never have too much of. We have now an display, new Bows, Jabots, lace and embroidered Dutch Collars, Coat Collars, Collar Sets, Tailored Collars, Fischues, Stocks and flowers and other novelties, in all prices up to \$5.00. Also showing some pretty styles in heads and pendants at popular prices.

New Percales
The most popular and best selling wash fabric on the market. Our stock was never more complete or more attractive. Beautiful striped, figured and plain colors in light and dark, 36 inches wide and fast colors. See them. 12 1/2c

Table Felt
or Silence Cloth used under linen table cover to protect against heat, etc. Shown by us in felt and quilted styles in 60 and 65 inch widths. A protection against the finish of your table and can be laundered. 50c and \$1.00

New Flouncings
A beautiful and varied display of these in 18, 27 and 45 inch widths in elaborate designs and scalloped edges done on fine swisses and voiles with three widths of inserting to match. These are especially desirable for dainty summer dresses of an elegant and exclusive order. Ask to see them, considering the quality the prices are quite reasonable.

Bed Spreads
A special value. Extra heavy full size crocheted Bed Spreads in new designs and assorted patterns. An unusual good quality to sell at \$1.00.

New Crashes
Buy your washings here. Over a dozen different kinds to select from in bleached, unbleached and blue in-all linen and twilled cotton crashes. All prices.

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DOWN ON PITTSBURG STREET.

THE NEW ONES
IN WALK-OVERS

have a low, flat toe, broad heel and a very broad shank—all made up with invisible eyelets.

You should see them before you buy your next pair—Wear Walk-Overs.

\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00

C. W. DOWNS & CO.

My, but They Are Beauties!

The new "Dope" toe, new "Pike," new "Doe" and the new "City Last" are all beauties. The first 3 are new shapes in high toe and high heels. The City Last is an English style and is now very popular. They

are made and how they fit and decide for yourself whether these are not a big bargain at this price. Plenty of navy blue, some few blacks and plenty of brown and tan mixtures. If you have a suit want for Easter this is a chance for you to save \$5 to \$10 on your Easter suit.

The Good Points

About Our Spring Shoes

are too many to tell here. But you can easily learn them of us, or of most any man or woman in town.

Our Store is a real Shoe Store.

Nothing But Shoes.

No Shoes But Good Ones.

All the good styles are here for your choosing. Men's from \$2.50 to \$6.00. Women's from \$2 to \$5. See us for Boys', Girls', Children's and Infants' Shoes at right prices.

Hooper & Long

SCOTTDAVE HUSTLING FOR BASE BALL CLUB

Mill Town Wants to Organize An Amateur Team for Summer.

GOOD PLAYERS TALKED ABOUT

Epworth League Arranges Special Program For Sunday Evening. Oratorio Was Splendidly Produced. Mine Explosion Lecture Tonight.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, March 23.—Several days' quiet work among the prominent business and professional men of town brings forth a consensus of opinion that the town should maintain an amateur baseball team this season. There is nothing in this for the professional player, but for a purely amateur team made up of the best players in the clubs about here, a team that would play perhaps two afternoons out of each week, and the gate receipts would be divided up among those active in the club.

Epworth park can be secured if it is understood if the grandstand will be repaired and the diamond put in playing condition. Epworth park has an excellent grandstand and is an ideal place for baseball.

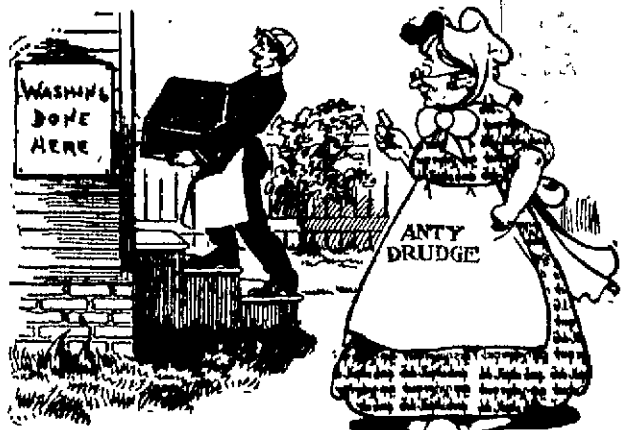
Among players who it is said may be secured is Klingensmith of the Epworth League team. Louie Cluser, the fast shortstop of the Morgan-Scottdale Keystone team is active in the matter, and Lloyd "Champ" Robbins, a catcher of the Morgan team, who has quite a reputation with the fans, is another desirable player that is obtainable. Tannohill of the Scottdale Keystones is looked upon as good pitching material, and Suttle will add strength for the infield. "Boots" King is talked of for a place and Smith and Lawrence Elcher are also counted upon as good stuff. St. Elcher is picked as one of the men for the field. Frank Price of the Morgan team and Webb Rath of the Scottdale Keystones are looked upon as helping to make a formidable outfield. Herbert and Ray Klingensmith are also on the list for good playing. D. Price of Morgan is considered as the first baseman, and Cronse will be expected in a strong position. Cluser will be arranged with the first base and other outfield teams that have a record and Scottsdale is promised some fine exhibitions of the National sport.

SPECIAL PROGRAM.
The Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church has planned a special service for their regular Sunday evening meeting at the church tomorrow evening. The service will be entitled "A Kidneyville Institute Series" and the leader for the evening will be Miss Grace Lockard, who will conduct the opening services. She will be followed by Miss Adelle Hinkle who will give the scripture, reading and the comments on the evening lesson. This will be followed by a sword drill, participated in by the members. The young men's quartette composed of George K. Leslie, Walter Lockard, Edward Stauffer and Raymond Humphries will sing at this meeting. "Solos From Kidneyville" will be the topic discussed by Theodore Iockey, who will tell something of the institute held there. "The Necessity of Trained Leadership For Church Work" will be the topic discussed by E. A. Humphries, a member of the Official Board. There will be a collection received and the Epworth League Benediction. Rev. H. S. Piper, the pastor, will preach a special sermon for the young people at 7:30 o'clock.

THE SACKED ORATORIO.
"Christ and His Soldiers," a sacred oratorio, produced under the leadership of W. J. Burkell, brought forth a fine array of local talent last evening at the First Methodist Episcopal church, the entertainment being given for the Y. M. C. A. building fund. There has been a lot of entertainment the last few days, and the audience was not so lucky as the production deserved. It was by the following artists: Mrs. L. M. S. Fyfe, Elmer Morrow, Simon Miller, Miss Lida Barkell, Mrs. William Clarkson and Mrs. C. F. Kelly, and a large chorus. The soprano and alto were all crowned in white and were on the large platform, while the tenors and basses were in the choir gallery just back. The orchestra was at outside. Those present and there was a good sized crowd, enjoyed one of the finest musical entertainments ever given in this locality, and one to make Scottsdale proud of its musical talent. Dittely of song and orchestra the piece held the closest attention. Its splendid setting and perfect rendering making it magnificent.

SUMMER HEAT.
"Summer Heat" will be the topic of the series that Rev. C. W. Hendrickson, pastor of the United Brethren church, will preach on Sunday morning at 10:45 in his series of sermons on "The Church Thermometer."

MINE EXPLOSIONS.
An illustrated lecture on "Mine Explosions" will be given in the Field building this evening at 7:30. This very interesting article was written by Prof. W. H. Crane, Dean of the School of Mines of the Pennsylvania State College at State College, Pa. Valuable information on the use of explosives in mines will be given which should have the attention of every mine employee or mine official in this vicinity. The lecture is care-



How One Washerwoman Was Converted to the Fels-Naptha Way.

Anty Drudge.—"Why, bless my soul! Mrs. Old School, the washerwoman has seen the light at last and has adopted the Fels-Naptha way of washing."

Grocer's Boy.—"She was forced to it, Anty Drudge. Mrs. Millionaire, her best customer, told her that if she didn't use Fels-Naptha she'd take her washing away. Was tired, she said, of having her clothes come back all yellow and some with streaks of dirt still in them."

A generation or so ago, if a woman had an errand she walked—she had to, there was no other way.

Later she could do it in half the time by riding. Now she can do it almost instantly, by telephone.

That's Progress, and Progress is made possible by science.

Fels-Naptha is science applied to the washday problem, and it's results are just wonderful.

Formerly washday was a time of sickening odors, back-breaking labor, a disordered house and the severest test on the clothes. This was necessary. There was no other way.

The Fels-Naptha washday—the scientific washday—isn't a washday at all in the old sense; merely an incident in the routine of household duties.

And if directions on the red and green wrapper are followed, the result is certain.

fully worked out one on this subject and the slides, which will illustrate the lecture, are expressly made for this purpose. There will be no admission charged and everybody is invited to attend.

THE GLEE CLUB.
Undoubtedly one of the greatest musical entertainments ever scheduled for the vicinity is that of the Oberlin College Glee Club, which comes to the Geyer Opera House, under the auspices of the Scottdale High School Athletic Association, on Friday evening, March 23. Over a score of young men, the chosen singers of a great university, with all the talent and cleverness both natural and acquired join in giving an evening's entertainment of the highest class. Their tour includes outside of Scottsdale only eleven and the All Town can feel particularly pleased to be able to enjoy such a splendid entertainment.

ALVERTON CHARGE.
Rev. T. O. Wagner, the pastor, announces services for Sunday on the Alvertion Methodist Episcopal charge as follows: Wesley Chapel, preaching at 10:30 followed by Communion; Jacobs Creek, preaching at 3 o'clock and Alvertion at 7 o'clock P. M.

GUT COUNTRY HOMES.
C. A. Colborn's dream is coming true, for the well known shoe merchant has now purchased a plot of ground in the country and will soon build a mansion to the north of the dealer in foot wear. Mr. Colborn has long desired to own a country place, and has been planning for it for years past. Now he has purchased from J. A. Stauffer a plot of 10 acres, situated on the top of a knoll just beyond the North Scottdale plan. The land lies over 80 feet above the creek, and is a model spot for fruit and vegetable growing and for a beautiful home site. Mr. Colborn is an enthusiastic poultry breeder and in the Scottsdale show out of a class of 72 White Orpingtons, Judge Keller pronounced Mr. Colborn's the whitest. Mr. Colborn expects to build a nice home on his land this summer and will make his residence there. J. C. Kelly, of the Frick company, is another man who has taken to a country home, having moved to the Nick Kaef farm above town. He will continue with the Frick company.

NATIONAL STEEL AND WIRE

Suit Filed in Supreme Court by English Stockholders Alleging Fraud.

A suit was filed in the New York Supreme Court charging that Henry D. Huntington, as a member of the executive committee and a voting trustee of the National Steel & Wire Company, and the late Everett B. Webster, as President, fraudulently misrepresented the affairs of that company in the so-called annual report of June 4, 1910, in order to further the sale of the stock.

It is asked that a voting trust agreement whereby the stock was converted to the Consolidated National Wire & Cable Company be set aside.

Edward F. Scholtenberger was a member of the executive committee responsible for the report. The plaintiffs are mainly English stockholders.

Paint Without Oil

Remarkable Discovery That Cuts Down the Cost of Paint Percent—Fifty Cent.

A Free Trial Package Is Mailed to Everyone Who Writes.

A. L. Rice, a prominent manufacturer of Adams, N. Y., has discovered a process of making a new kind of paint without the use of oil. He calls it "Powderpaint." It comes in the form of a dry powder and all that is required is cold water to make a paint weather proof, fire proof and as durable as oil paint and costs about one-fourth as much.

Write to Mr. A. L. Rice, Manufacturer, 285 North St., Adams, N. Y., and he will send you a free trial package, give color card and full information showing you how you can save a good many dollars. Write today.

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For Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, Stomach Trouble, Constipation, etc. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

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Pittsburg Street, Connellsville.

Our Great Re-Purchase Sale Attracted Crowds

Important Notice!

No goods will be sold C. O. D. during this sale. No goods will be sent on approval. No mail orders will be filled and no orders by telephone will be received. As much as we would like to accommodate our customers it is impossible to sell these Re-Purchase Sale goods except in the store. Orders open promptly at 8 o'clock. We close at 8 o'clock.

Thousands Throng Our Store to Get Re-Purchase Sale Bargains and Today and Many More Days Will See Another Tremendous Rush.

Warning to Merchants and Dealers!

Under no circumstances will any of this merchandise be sold to merchants and dealers as we want every advantage to accrue to our customers. And we suggest that all come as early as possible so that where only limited quantities of goods are on sale they may get their share.

From early morning until closing time thousands upon thousands of men and women struggled to get their share of the greatest bargains this city has ever seen, from a department store standpoint. And so completely were we carried off our feet that we didn't have time to list one-third of the goods for today's selling. But we had a mountain of merchandise to sell, and while buying was heavy Saturday and Monday our stock is complete in every department and more Great Bargains added. We can't begin to enumerate all the bargains to be found in the store. You'll simply have to come and see for yourself.

We have DOUBLED OUR SALES FORCES and those who were disappointed will be looked after now.

Store Opens at 8 O'clock.
Come Early and Avoid the Rush.

More Wonderful Bargains in Dress Goods

DRY GOODS.
Barred and striped flannels, 25c value 17c
Plain flannels, 25c value 14c
Dimities, 12c and 15c value 8c and 17c
Barred muslins, special at 7c, 9c and 12c
25 inch Poplin, 25c value, special at 18c
Figured Madras, special at 21c
India Lawns, special at 7c, 11c and 15c
French and Persian Lawns, special at 9c, 17c up to 39c
24 inch Linen, special at 15c
28 inch Linen, special at 19c to 39c
10-11 Linen Sheeting, special at 50c and 55c

DRESS GOODS.
All materials including plaids, solid shades, novelties that had formerly sold at 50c and 35c, per yard 19c
White Serge, white with black hair line stripes, novelties, silk striped volute Lawns, special in all shades, popping and all silk mixed materials that formerly sold at 50c and 75c, per yard 30c
All Dress Materials that sold at 1.0080
All Dress Materials that sold at 1.25 and \$1.0080c
Dress Caduoy that sold at \$150c

SILKS.
Mosseline Silks, 35 inches wide, come in all shades also fancy and striped; always sells at \$1.00 70c
Other novelty silks, 24 inches, special at 60c
Sera Silks, special at 10c

RIBBONS.
Ribbons in all shades, plaids and fancies 3 and 4 inches wide 14c

TABLE LINEN.
50c value, special at 30c
75c value, special at 50c
\$1.00 value, special at 70c
\$1.50 value, special at 90c
Huck Toweling 12c
Linen Toweling 9c

DRAPERY AND CURTAIN MATERIALS.
Curtain Seals, cream or white, special 11c, 14c and 17c
Figured Seals, special at 12c, 14c and 17c
Silkoline, plain or figured, at 7c and 9c
Cretons and Denims, special at 7c, 9c and 11c
Art Jellings, special at 9c and 12c
Gauzins, plain and fancies, at 14c
Light and Dark Percales, fast colors, special at 8c

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES.
Unbleached Sheets, full size, 75c value, special at 55c
Mohawk Sheets, full size, \$1.00 value, special at 82c
Superior Sheets, full size, \$1.00 value, special at 70c
Palma Sheets, full size, \$1.25 value, special at 85c
Bucklet Cases, special at 19c, 24, 28c
Pillow Cases, special at 9c, 14c, 19c

2nd Floor Specials

One lot of Women's Jackets; in this lot you will find jackets worth up to \$12.50. Your unrestricted choice for **59c**

One lot of Ladies' Suits; in dark and light colors, all good styles, worth up to \$25. Re-Purchase Sale Price **\$1.90**

One lot of Women's and Misses' Long Coats. In this lot you will find coats that sold up to \$18.75; sale price **95c**

Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Dresses

Women's Suits that sold at \$16.50 and up to \$22.50; mixtures, serges and chevrons; fine suits and well tailored and perfect fitting; all to be sold at your unrestricted choice. **\$7.90**

Women's and Misses' Suits, that sold at \$25, \$35 and up to \$37.50; serges in black and blue; plain or fancy made; also mixtures; a chance to get a good serviceable suit; styles are just the thing for this time of the year. Re-Purchase **\$12.40**

Women's Coats, that sold at \$16.50 up to \$22.50; an immense sacrifice. They are of the very best quality of broadcloths; some are trimmed, others are perfectly plain. Sale price **\$9.90**

Women's Coats, that sold at \$27.50, \$32.50 and up to \$40, made of black chuffon broadcloth; extra good quality serges, also fine seal plush coats; all have guaranteed Skinner lining. Sale price **\$14.90**

About 25 Evening Capes, made of elegant quality broadcloth; all the most wanted shades; in this lot you will find capes that formerly sold at \$12.50. Sale price **\$1.90**

FURS
Our entire stock of Furs at exactly Half and Less. Stock consists of mink muffs, black fox, black wolf, Jap mink, etc. Entire stock of coats included. Furs range in price from \$1 to \$150.00. All at Half-Price and Less.

Clothing

Men's and Young Men's Work and Dress Pants

\$2.00 Men's Black Tights **79c**
Pants cut to \$2.38
\$2.00 Men's and Young Men's Pants, in worsteds, cassimeres and blue serge, all colors **\$1.29**
\$5.00 to \$7.00 Men's extra fine Dress Pants some peg top with cuffed bottoms, cut to **\$2.39**

Men's Bath Robes
\$5.00 Robes cut to **\$2.48**
\$6.00 Robes cut to **\$2.58**

1 lot of Men's Smoking Jackets, worth up to \$7, small sizes only, will go at this sale at **49c**

Boys' Overcoats
Ages 3 to 10 years

\$2.50 Overcoats at **\$1.19**
\$3.00 Overcoats at **\$1.38**
\$4.50 and \$5.00 Overcoats at **\$2.88**
\$5.00 to \$10.00 Overcoats and Reefers, all sizes, but not all colors, sale price **\$3.98**

Boys' Suits
Boys' Buster Suits, worth \$7.00, sale price **\$2.98**
Boys' Suits in double breasted style, worth up to \$8.00, sale price **\$3.98**

\$12.00 Boys' Doublebreasted Suits, spring models, to go at this sale **\$7.48**
50c All Wool Knee Pants 25c
30c Knee Pants 15c
Little Boys' Overalls 12c

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats
Men's and Young Men's Overcoats that sold from \$22.50 to \$30.00 in this lot you will find the famous Kuppenheimer makes **\$12.80**

\$15.00 and \$20.00 English Slip-Ons and Raincoats in tan brown and black at **\$8.90**
Boys' tan Slip-On Coats made of double texture waterproof materials, never sold for less than \$5, will go at this sale at **\$2.79**

Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing
Lot 1—\$7.50 Men's Suits **\$2.48**

Lot 2—\$10 Men's and Young Men's all wool Suits in fancy worsteds and black tights during this sale at **\$3.98**
\$15.00 and \$16.50 Men's and Young Men's Suits at **\$7.98**
\$20.00 to \$22.50 Suits **\$5.20**
\$25.00 to \$30.00 Suits **\$12.50**

Overcoats
1 lot of Overcoats worth up to \$18, will fit large boys or small men will go for **\$1.90**

\$35.00 to \$39.00 Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, latest models, many suitable for spring and fall wear, will go in this sale at **\$6.48**

\$10.00 Extra fine Slip-On Coats, all have plaid linings at this sale at **\$4.39**

SHOES sacrificed

Men's Shoes	Boys' and Children's Shoes	Ladies' Shoes
\$5.00 Men's Shoes, sale price \$3.65	\$3.00 Boys' Dress Shoes, sale price \$2.19	\$3.50 Red Cross Shoes, sale price \$2.79
\$4.00 Men's Shoes, sale price \$2.89	\$2.75 Boys' Dress Shoes, sale price \$2.33	\$4.00 Red Cross Shoes, sale price \$2.95
\$4.50 Crockett Shoes, sale price \$2.95	\$2.50 Boys' Dress Shoes, sale price \$1.69	\$4.50 White Shoes, sale price \$2.79
\$3.50 Beacon Shoes, sale price \$2.29	\$1.50 Boys' Dress Shoes, sale price \$1.09	\$2.50 Gun Metal Shoes, sale price \$1.89
\$3.00 Working Shoes, sale price \$1.95	\$1.75 Children's Shoes, sale price 95c	\$1.50 Misses' Shoes, sale price 95c
\$6.50 High Top Shoes, sale price \$3.25	\$1.25 Children's Shoes, sale price 79c	\$2.50 Misses' Shoes, sale price \$1.39
\$4.50 High Top Shoes, sale price \$2.90	\$2.25 Children's Shoes, sale price \$1.39	\$3.00 Misses' Shoes, sale price \$2.19

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The Best Classics, Folksongs, College Airs. Specially Costumed Acts, Mirth-Provoking Stunts. ARTISTIC AND REFINED.

Geyer Opera House, Scottdale, Friday, March 29th

Seats at Barkell's Drug Store March 26, 27, 28 and 29. Admission 75, 50, 35, 25

The Building of a City

By WILL L. FINCH,
Associate Editor, Town Development Magazine.

The success of a community is no different than the success of a business.

Each depends upon the people that are in it. The community has opportunities to offer the public—opportunities for industry, for trade, for education and recreation and for comfortable homes.

A business prospers and grows in proportion as the want it has to offer have merit and are made known to the public. The community increases in population, in industries and in commerce in proportion as its opportunities become known to the world at large and the public learns that these opportunities possess merit.

It takes men and it takes money to make a business success. Equally, it takes men and money to make the community grow and prosper.

But men and money alone will not suffice. There must be well-directed, concerted energy back of both.

No business can succeed without team work. Every individual in the store or office or factory has his particular duties to perform. But each is working toward the same end, and in unison and harmony with the others.

So it is with a community. The individual, working alone can accomplish but little for the advancement of the community, however high his ideals may be; however great his aims and purpose. But a great number of individuals, bound together by the same aims and purposes, working together for the common good of the community can accomplish all things.

Connellsville is going to have a commercial revival. Her citizens appreciate the need of greater combined activity. They are going to respond splendidly to the call for more men and more money to fight for Connellsville, through a rejuvenated Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce is the natural agency through which her growth should be stimulated.

A big energetic Chamber of Commerce with a sufficient revenue can and will put Connellsville on the map and keep her there.

SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH, Crawford avenue. A. B. Wilson, pastor. Bible school 9:15 A. M. worship at 11 A. M. subject "Conversion." Junior 2 P. M. X. P. C. E. 6:30 P. M. Preaching 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. Mrs. Nellie E. Showman will preach both morning and evening as the pastor will be with Rev. C. E. Shinton, Normalville, conducting communion services.

M. E. CHURCH, Rev. R. C. Wolf, D. D. pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., preaching at both services by the pastor. Sabbath school 9:15 A. M. Epworth League, 6:30 P. M. Preaching Wednesday evening at 7:30 by Dr. John J. Wallace, editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate, Junior League Friday from 4 to 6. Ladies Aid Society Thursday at Mrs. Mattie Muir's.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, J. P. Allison, pastor. Residence 509 Race street. Tri-State phone 9:30. Bible school. Every member of the school is asked to be on time tomorrow morning. 10:40 W. R. Warren will speak in the afternoon at 2:30 a men's meeting. All men of the city are invited to attend this meeting. 7:30, Mr. Allison will speak the theme, "The Judgment." 8:30, Christian Endeavor meeting, subject "The Saloon and its Allies." Lloyd Shaw, leader. C. B. Reynolds of Alliance, O., will be present on Monday evening and will assist the church in a series of meetings. Robert Warner will lead the chorus during the week and Mrs. C. E. Stout on Lord's Day. Welcome to all.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH, S. Pittsburg and Green streets. Rev. C. E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning service at 11 A. M. subject of sermon, "Christ's Challenge to the Unbeliever." Evening worship at 7:30, subject of sermon, "Reconciled to God." You are cordially invited to worship with us. Caricatured class meets Sunday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. Prayer service Wednesday evening 7:30 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Carnegie avenue and East South street. Geo. Dietz, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Services and confirmation at 10:30 A. M. Confirmation at 2:30 P. M. Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Bernard Grotz's residence. All are cordially invited. Confirmation class Wednesday and Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, L. Proudt, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Great Com-

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Marvelous Antiseptic That Draws Gums, Wounds and Needles From.

There never was known such a powerful drawing ointment as San Cura. Wherever it has been used it has created astonishment. It drew a needle out of the foot of the daughter of Mrs. James Hiltchcock of Centerville, Pa., after the doctor had used his lancet and failed.

Nothing so healing or antiseptic can be purchased today. It possesses so much healing virtue that it is guaranteed by Graham & Co. of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Co. of Scotland to quickly cure any kind of pimple, eczema, tetter, salt rheum, boils, carbuncles, ulcers, all kinds of chronic sores, chilblains and chapped hands, or money back.

It's a mighty handy remedy to have in the house in emergencies such as bruises, burns, cuts or scalds, because it kills the pain instantly. It's a medicine chest in itself—a little family physician that is ever in demand. Send for it at once to Graham & Co. of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Co. of Scotland.

BEST SKIN SOAP.

Is San Cura Soap, because of its great antiseptic and healing virtues. Use it regularly, and it will make the skin soft and velvet; will remove pimples and blackheads. It's the real soap for babies' tender skin, which mothers of infants should remember. 25 cents a large cake at Graham & Co. of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Co. of Scotland.

mission.

Evening service at 7:30. Subject "The Woman Who Welcomed Him to Her Home," the fourth in the series on "Some Women Friends of Jesus." You are invited to these services. Christian Endeavor at 8:30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:45.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH. Divine services will be held in Trinity church at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ellis B. Burgess. Morning subject, "A Man Represented Christ." Evening subject, "Servants of God and Servants of the Devil." Confirmation class will meet at 8 o'clock. Bible school at 9:45 A. M. Strangers are welcome.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE, R. C. Miller, pastor. Rev. J. W. Richards, presiding elder, will preach Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday evening at 7:30 and on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Communion services Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Young People's Alliance at 7 P. M.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. Homer Eddy of Uniontown, who is supplying the pulpit of the First Baptist church of Connellsville, will preach tomorrow morning on "The Transfiguration of Christ." In the evening his theme will be "The Witnessing Side," illustrated by Caleb and Joshua. All members of the First Baptist Church are asked to bring, each one, one more. All persons not worshipping elsewhere are most cordially invited to come.

THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. B. Frank White, minister. At 11 A. M. "Drawing Nigh to God," and at 7:30 P. M., "Complete Men." Sabbath School 10 A. M. X. P. C. U. 6:30 P. M. Preparatory service Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:45. Everybody welcome to all services.

NOVEL MASSAGE CREAM.

Perfect Skin Food That Removes Wrinkles and Clears Complexion. The most delicate skin will quickly receive the softening and tonic effect of Hukara and when this pure skin food is used, pimples are soon a thing of the past.

An a massage cream or after shaving it is unequalled removing all irritations and making the skin soft and velvety.

Apply a little to the hands or face after washing and surprise yourself with the dead skin that comes off. Hukara is the only massage cream that is an antiseptic, and pimples, eczema and all skin blemishes soon disappear when it is used.

Although far superior to the ordinary massage creams and sold on a guarantee of "best you ever used or money back" you get the price is a trifling one for a liberal jar, larger size 50c.

Sold on a guarantee by A. A. Clarke.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, March 22.—A circulating library will soon be installed at the drug store of Mullin & Wiley on Main street for the use of their patrons and the Rockwood public. All persons joining the club will have the privilege of reading 80 of the latest and best books on the market today.

M. J. Adams, for several years B. & O. supervisor of the S. & C. branch and a large section of the main line out of Rockwood, has been appointed supervisor of the S. & C. branch only, with headquarters at Somerset, where he will move his family the first of the week. J. A. Lophart of Casselman has been promoted to fill the supervisory position on the main line with headquarters at Rockwood where he will move his family within a short time.

The steady rain which lasted for 30 hours did considerable damage to Rockwood property, many cellars being filled with water to the first floor, and railroad tracks were hampered. Considerable passenger trains, being three and four hours late on account of washouts and slides. Many old citizens of the town report that the Casselman river has never been as high since the late war. It was in its yesterday at 11:00 A. M.

Church announcements for next Sunday: Methodist church—Revival services at 7:30 P. M. Lutheran church—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Reformed church—Preaching at 7:30 P. M. All other services as usual.

THE AARON COMPANY OPENS NEW STORE IN JEANNETTE

Less Than a Year Ago the Greensburg Store Was Opened, and Here's Another.

Less than a year after opening its new furniture, carpet and rug store in Greensburg, The Aaron Company is about ready to throw open the doors of its still newer store in Jeannette.

Including the present institution in Connellsville, this will make three big Aaron stores under one control; all three operating along the lines that have made the name "Aaron" synonymous with "Success."

"It is only a question of how soon we can secure the new merchandise, for which we placed the order some time ago," said Mr. Aaron today. "According to present indications, everything should be in readiness so that the Jeannette store can welcome the public on April 1st."

"With our new store on Clay avenue, we will be enabled to show the people everything good from the best furniture makers in Pennsylvania, and represent, exclusively in Western Pennsylvania."

"The buying power of our Connellsville and Greensburg stores, coupled with that of our Jeannette establishment, will make it possible for us to give values such as the people of the community have never had an opportunity to secure before."

"Our Connellsville store does, by far, the greatest business of any store in the county. Our Greensburg store has surpassed everybody with the big volume of trade it has built up in ten months. I predict that equally wonderful things will come to the Jeannette store."

"The Aaron Jeannette store will be in personal charge of Mr. Neumann."

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, March 22.—Mrs. William Woodman is the guest of friends in Somerset for a few days. The highest water for five years was here yesterday. It began raining at midnight, and continued all day Thursday. Trains were all delayed on account of landslides along the B. & O. C. & O. branch train was unable to make the trip Thursday as the tracks were washed out between Confluence and Somerset.

Frank Davis was in Somerset on business from Tuesday until Thursday. Joseph DeHaven formerly a resident of this place but now of Addison, was a visitor in town yesterday.

A. C. Engelhart of Meyersdale, was in town on business one day this week. James Hagen, Confluence and Ella Woods were visiting friends at Humboldt and Jersey for a few days.

L. S. Lincoln, formerly a resident of this place, but now of Uniontown, was in town greeting old friends several days this week.

Miss Mary Engle, teacher of the Grana school, was here yesterday on her way to Berlin to spend Sunday with her parents.

George Butler of Johnson's Chapel, was in town on business yesterday. Attorney James Fugh of Somerset, was in town on business yesterday.

Mrs. Laura Sloan and niece, Marian Worthing of Scotland, have returned home after a week's visit with Mrs. John Hawke.

Herbert Black of New York City, is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Black.

Joseph Tourney was the guest of friends in Meyersdale from Wednesday till Friday.

Mrs. Mittie Colborn of Lisle, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Silas Younklin for a few days.

Miss Yvonne Switzer, of Marietta, has been visiting Miss Thon (Valentin), the past week. She is on her return home from spending two weeks at the military hospital at the wholesale houses in Pittsburg.

E. J. McDonald of Addison, visited friends in town Thursday and Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Butler of Fort Hill, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. T. L. Butler at Johnson's Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Colborn and six children of Lisle, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Colborn's sister, Mrs. Calvin Younklin, on West St.

M. B. McKurt of Somerset was a visitor in town Friday.

William Burnworth, freight agent at the B. & O. station, is confined to his home on West Side, with an attack of gastric fever.

Charles Humbert has returned home after spending a week in Harrisburg, Pa.

Star Junction.

STAR JUNCTION, March 22.—B. H. Hughes of Greensburg, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Who is going to name the new theatre at Perryopolis? "Everybody's doing it."

Mrs. J. B. Knox is visiting in Pittsburg.

H. R. Morris sold at auction yesterday.

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Mr. McMillan of Pittsburg, was calling in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Dunham entertained a number of friends last night and a dainty lunch was served.

STAR JUNCTION, March 23.—Mrs. James Sanfariyer was visiting at Perryopolis yesterday.

William Short was visiting at Perryopolis yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Carr, Miss Mary Dunham, and Miss Sadie Newmyer attended services at the Christian church at Perryopolis last night.

Mrs. John Askey was visiting at Perryopolis yesterday.

Stanton Luce was calling at Perryopolis yesterday afternoon.

Walter Haddock will be home Sunday after spending a few weeks at the West Penn Hospital in Pittsburg.

Meyersdale.

The following services will be held in local churches tomorrow:

St. John's Episcopal church, Rev. J. J. Brady, pastor. Children's mass, 9:30 A. M., followed by Sunday school at 10:30 A. M. and sermon at 11:00 A. M. Subject, "The Power of the Cross."

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COAT COLLAR WHITE WITH DANDRUFF

Scalp Badly Affected, Itched Terribly, Hair Fell Out. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Now Has Thick Growth of Hair and Is Never Troubled with Any Dandruff or Itching of Scalp.

"I am more than gratified by the successful results obtained by the use of the Cuticura Remedies. For several years my scalp was very badly affected with dandruff and scales. My scalp itched terribly at times and my hair fell out. My coat collar would be actually white with the dandruff that had fallen from my head. My physician said I was suffering from a scalp disease, and he prescribed a course of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used Cuticura Soap twice a week and after drying my head thoroughly, anointed parts of my scalp with Cuticura Ointment. I was pleased with the results. The itching stopped, the scales came off, and my hair began to grow again. I have now a thick growth of hair, and I am never troubled with any dandruff or itching of the scalp. There is no question but that the Cuticura Remedies cured me. I have never had a recurrence of my trouble, and I think I would advise all who are troubled with dandruff or itching of the scalp, to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It is a sure cure, and it is a pleasant one. I have used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for several years, and I have never had a recurrence of my trouble. I think I would advise all who are troubled with dandruff or itching of the scalp, to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It is a sure cure, and it is a pleasant one. I have used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for several years, and I have never had a recurrence of my trouble. I think I would advise all who are troubled with dandruff or itching of the scalp, to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It is a sure cure, and it is a pleasant one. I have used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for several years, and I have never had a recurrence of my trouble. I think I would advise all who are troubled with dandruff or itching of the scalp, to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. It is a sure cure, and it is a pleasant one. I have used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for several years, and I have never had a recurrence of my trouble. 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The Prodigal Judge

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CHAPTER XXXIII.

A Cries at the Court-House.
Just at daybreak Yancy was roused by the pressure of a hand on his shoulder, and opening his eyes saw that the judge was leaning over him. "Dress!" he said briefly. "There's every prospect of trouble—get your rifle and come with me!"

Yancy noted that this prospect of trouble seemed to afford the judge a pleasurable sensation; indeed, he had quite lost his former air of somber and suppressed melancholy. "I let you sleep, thinking you needed the rest," the judge went on. "But ever since midnight we've been on the verge of riot and possible bloodshed. They've arrested John Murrell—it's claimed he's planned a serious riot. A man named Hues, who had wormed his way into his confidence, made the arrest. He carried Murrell into Memphis, but the local magistrate, intimidated, most likely, declined to have anything to do with holding him. In spite of this, Hues managed to get his prisoner lodged in jail, but along about nightfall the situation began to look serious. Folks were swarming into town armed to the teeth, and Hues fetched Murrell across country to Halesburg."

"You," said Yancy. "Well, the sheriff has refused to take Murrell into custody. Hues has him down at the court-house, but whether or not he is going to be able to hold him is another matter!" Yancy and Hainsbal had dressed by this time, and the judge led the way from the house. The scratch hillier looked about him. Across the street a group of men, the greater number of whom were armed, stood in front of Fentress's tavern. Glancing in the direction of the court-house, he observed that the square before it held other groups. But what impressed him more was the ominous silence that was everywhere. At his elbow, the judge was breathing deep.

"We are face to face with a very deplorable condition, Mr. Yancy. Court was to sit here today, but Judge Morrow and the public prosecutor have left town, and as you see, Murrell's friends have gathered for a rescue. There's a sprinkling of the better element—but only a sprinkling. I saw Judge Morrow this morning at four o'clock—I told him I would oblige myself to present for his consideration evidence of a striking and sensational character, evidence which would show conclusively that Murrell should be held to await the action of the next grand jury—this was after a conference with Hues—I guaranteed his safety. Sir, the man refused to listen to me! He showed himself utterly devoid of any feeling of public duty. The bitter sense of failure and futility was leaving the judge. The situation made its demands on that base faith in his own powers which remained imbedded in his character."

They had entered the court-house square. On the steps of the building Betts was arguing loudly with Hues, who stood in the doorway, rifle in hand.

"Maybe you don't know this is county property," the sheriff was saying. "And that you have taken unlawful possession of it for an unlawful purpose? I am going to open them doors—passel of strangers can't keep folks out of a building their own money has bought and paid for!" While he was speaking, the judge had pushed his way through the crowd to the foot of the steps.

"That was very nicely said, Mr. Betts," observed the judge. He smiled widely and sweetly. The sheriff gave him a hostile glare. "Do you know that Morrow has left town?" the judge went on. "I ain't got nuthin' to do with Judge Morrow. It's my duty to see that this building is ready for him when he's mild to open court in it." "You are willing to assume the responsibility of throwing open these doors?" inquired the judge affably. "I shorley am," said Betts. "Why, some of these folks are our leading people!"

The judge turned to the crowd, and spoke in a tone of excessive civility. "Just a word, gentlemen—the sheriff is right; it's your court-house, and you should not be kept out of it. No doubt there are some of you whose presence in this building will sooner or later be urgently desired. We are going to let all who wish to enter, but I beg you to remember that there will be five men inside—whose prejudices are all in favor of law and order." He pushed past Hues and entered the court-house, followed by Yancy and Hainsbal. "We'll let 'em in where I can talk to 'em," he said almost gaily. "Besides, they'll come in anyhow when they get ready, so there's no sense in arting them."

In the court-house, Murrell, bound hand and foot, was seated between Cherrington and the Earl of Lambeth in the little raised-off space below the judge's bench. Fear and suffering had blanched his unshaven cheeks and

given a wild light to his deeply sunken eyes. At sight of Yancy a smothered exclamation broke from his lips; he had supposed this man dead these many months!

Hues had abandoned his post, and the crowd, suddenly grown clamorous, stormed the narrow entrance. One of the doors, borne from its hinges, went down with a crash. The judge, a fierce light flashing from his eyes, turned to Yancy.

"No matter what happens, this fellow Murrell is not to escape—if he calls on his friends to rescue him he is to be shot!"

The hall was filling with sweating, struggling men, the floor shook beneath their heavy tread; then they burst into the court-room and saluted Murrell with a great shout. But Murrell, bound, in rage, and silent, his lips frozen in a white-grip was a depressing sight, and the boldest felt something of his unrestrained lawlessness go from him.

Less noisy now, the crowd spread itself out among the benches or swarmed up into the tiny gallery at the back of the building. Men after man had hurried forward, intent on passing beyond the railing, but each had encountered the judge's formidable and forbidding, and had turned aside. Gradually the many pairs of eyes roving over the little group surrounding the outlaws focused themselves on Slocum Price. It was an unconscious recognition of that moral force which was his, a tribute to the grim dignity of his unshaken courage; what he would do seemed worth considering.

He was charmed to hear his name pass in a whisper from lip to lip. Well, it was time they knew him! He squared his ponderous shoulder and made a gesture commanding silence. Battered, shabby and debauched, he was like some old war horse, who sniffs the odor of battle that the wind incontinently brings to his nostrils. "Don't let him speak!" cried a voice, and a tumult succeeded.

Cool and indomitable the judge waited for it to subside. He saw that the color was stealing back into Murrell's face. The outlaw was feeling that he was a leader not overthrown; these were his friends and followers, his safety was their safety, too. In a full in the storm of sound the judge attempted to make himself heard, but his words were lost in the angry roar that descended on him.

"Don't let him speak! Kill him! Kill him!"

A score of men sprang to their feet and from all sides came the click of rifle and pistol hammers as they were drawn to the full cock. The judge's fate seemed to rest on a breath. He swung about on his heel and gave a curt nod to Yancy and Cavendish, who, falling back a step, tested their guns to their shoulders and covered Murrell. A sudden hush grew up out of the tumult; the cries, angry and jeering, dwindled to a murmur, and a dead pall of silence rested on the crowded room.

The very taste of triumph was in



"Don't Let Him Speak, Kill Him! Kill Him!"

the judge's mouth. Then came a commotion at the back of the building. A ripple of comment, and Colonel Fentress elbowed his way through the crowd. At sight of his enemy the judge's face went from white to red, while his eyes blazed; but for the moment the force of his emotions left him speechless. Here and there, as he advanced, Fentress recognized a friend and bowed coolly to the right and left.

"What does this ridiculous mockery mean?" he demanded harshly. "Mr. Sheriff, as a member of the bar, I protest! Why don't you clear the building?" He did not wait for Betts to answer him, but continued, "Where is this man Hues?"

"Yonder, colonel, by the captain," said Betts.

"I have a warrant for his arrest. You will take him into custody." "Wait!" cried the judge. "I represent Mr. Hues. I desire to see that warrant!"

But Fentress ignored him. He addressed the crowded benches.

"Gentlemen, it is a serious matter forcibly to seize a man without authority from the courts and expose him to the danger of mob violence—Mr. Hues will learn this before we have done with him."

Instantly there was a noisy demonstration that swelled into a burst of applause, which quickly spent itself. The struggle seemed to have narrowed to an individual contest for supremacy between Fentress and the judge. On the edge of the raised-off space they confronted each other: the colonel, a tall, well-cared for presence; the judge, shabby and unkempt. For a moment their eyes met, while the judge's face purpled and paled, and purpled again. The silence deep-

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Vera Allen, Leading Lady in The Bohemian Girl.

ened. Fentress' thin lips opened, twitched, but no sound came from them; then his glance wavered and fell. He turned away.

"Mr. Sheriff!" he called sharply. "All right, colonel!"

"Take your man into custody," ordered Fentress. As he spoke he handed the warrant toward Betts, who looked at it, glanced, and stepped toward Hues. He would have pushed the judge aside had not that gentleman, bowing civilly, made way for him.

"In my profound respect for the law and properly constituted authority I yield to no man, not even to Colonel Fentress," he said, with a gracious gesture. "I would not place the slightest obstacle in the way of its sanctioned maintenance. Colonel Fentress comes here with that high sanction. He bowed again ceremoniously to the colonel. "I repeat, I respect his dependence upon the law!" He whirled suddenly. "Cavendish—Yancy—Cherrington—I call upon you to arrest John Murrell! I do this by virtue of the authority vested in me as a judge of the United States federal court. His crime—a mere trifle, my friends—passing counterfeited money! Colonel Fentress will inform you that this is a violation of the law which falls within my jurisdiction," and he beamed blandly on Fentress.

"It's a lie!" cried the colonel. "You'll answer for that later!" said the judge, with abrupt austerity of tone.

"For all we know you may be some fugitive from justice!—Why, your name isn't Price!"

"Are you sure of that?" asked the judge quickly.

"You're an impostor! Your name is Turberville!"

"Permit me to relieve your apprehensions. It is Turberville who has received the appointment. Would you like to examine my credentials? I have them by me—no? I am obliged for your introduction. It could not have come at a more timely moment."

The judge seemed to dismiss Fentress contemptuously. Once more he faced the packed benches. "Put down your weapons!" he commanded. "This man Murrell will not be released. At the first effort at rescue he will be shot where he sits—we have sworn it—his plotting is at an end." He stalked nearer the benches. "Not one change in a thousand remains to him. Either he dies here or he lives to be taken before every judge in the state, if necessary, until we find one with courage to try him! Make no mistake—it will best conserve the ends of justice to allow the state courts jurisdiction in this case; and I pledge myself to furnish evidence which will start him well on his road to the gallows!" The judge, a tremendous presence, stalked still nearer the benches. Outfacing the crowd, a sole of the splendor of the part he was being called upon to play flowed through him like some elixir; he felt that he was transcending himself, that his inspiration was drawn from the hidden springs of the spirit, and that he could neither falter nor go astray.

"You don't know what you are meddling with! This man has plotted to lay the south in ruins—he has been arming the negroes—it is incredible that you should all know this—so such I say, go home and thank God for your escape! For the others—his shaggy brows met in a menacing frown—"If they force our hand we will toss them John Murrell's dead carcass—that's our answer to their challenge!"

To Be Continued.

Helen Boyton, a prima donna in comic opera, left New York for Conneltsville, Pa., to study for grand opera under King Clark in Berlin and Jean de Ruske in Paris.

THE SOISSON.

"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL."

What modern stage management can accomplish for one of the oldest and most popular operas ever written will be demonstrated at the Soisson Theatre, Tuesday, March 26, when the Aborn Opera Company will offer their crowning effort—a big spectacular production of "The Bohemian Girl" in English. This production was originally made about a year ago and proved one of the truly big successes of last season in every city wherein it was presented, and from a scenic and spectacular point of view this season's revival of Balfe's masterpiece is as to outdo anything of the kind heretofore seen on the standard musical opera. Consistent with their policy of "continual improvement," Messrs. Aborn have made every possible effort to improve and enhance the attractiveness of this year's production above that of last year. "The Bohemian Girl" has kept its place in the repertoire of all grand opera companies since the premiere at the Drury Lane Theatre over sixty years ago, and only rare exceptions have the popular work been done with adequate scenic equipment, ordinarily the several scenes of the opera are given with the most meagre settings. In the present revival, Messrs. Aborn have introduced many striking novelties, which are made possible by the use of the book and score which was prepared for the Parisian revival during the gala fete of the French Second Empire, which was made in 1869. Some of these novelties are the introduction of a troupe of trained horses at the finale of Act I, in a thrilling dash up a mountain, a scene that is said to seem as real as the horses, and in the second act, a Gypsy Gypsy and an uncaptured and a town fair or kermess of old Bohemia, with marvelous whirlwind acrobats, and jugglers and the usual motley crowd seen at such gatherings. In the last act the famous Marble Halls are utilized for the first time, and the brilliant corps de ballet, "The Dance of the Hours," is presented in a novel and beautiful setting.

"THE NEWLYWEDS AND BABY." "The Newlyweds and Their Baby," which is the offering at the Soisson Theatre, Wednesday, April 3, is composed exclusively of songsters who can really sing and comedians who can really act, as well as a chorus that can dance and is above the usual in point of looks.

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Grace George will make a first night test of the new play by George Broadhurst and Edward Vetter, "The Spring," preparatory to using "The principal" vehicle box season. The play, originally called "The Stranger," now has the title of "Within the Law."

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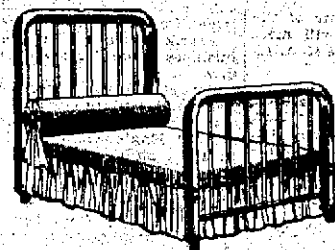
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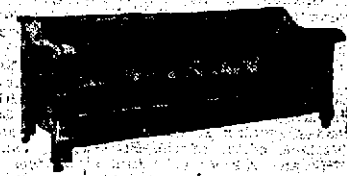
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